1037/050 ROBERT H. RUGGERI ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR MOAB, UTAH 84532 P. O. Box 310 NOV 26 1982 ROBERT H. RUGGERI November 24, 1982 DIVISION OF Natural Resources & Energy OIL. GAS & MINING DEC 0 2 1982 4241 State Office Building Salt Lake City, Utah 84114 Attention: James W. Smith, Jr. RE: Red Rock Mine Plan Review S & S MiningCompany ACT/037/050

San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Smith:

Reference is made to your letter dated October 22, 1982, in which you request that I provide the Division with an up to date status of the project, if I anticipate that the submission will take longer than 30 days.

S & S Mining Company has had some very substantial financial reverses and in order to try and correct the situation has entered into a Mining Agreement with T. S. & R. Mining, Inc., who, in turn, has been influencial in terminating the Ore Purchase Agreement with Energy Fuels Nuclear and has as of November 23, 1982, entered into an Ore Purchase Agreement with Atlas Corporation. Atlas Corporation, in turn, has agreed that it will make its environmental staff available to T. S. & R. for the purpose of complying with the areas in which questions or comments have been raised. T. S. & R and S & S Mining Company will continue to work with Mr. Groff and the Atlas staff to complete your requirements as soon as possible.

We should have more definite knowledge of approximately when we may expect to comply with your requirements and I will advise you. In the meantime it is hoped that you will be understanding and allow sufficient time to prepare the necessary documentation.

You will please note that I am sending a copy of this letter to the State Department of Health, Division of Environmental Health, 150 West North Temple, P. O. Box 2500, Salt Lake City, Utah 84110.

I trust that this letter will serve to answer the Health Department's letter dated November 17, 1982, relative to the same subject matter.

If for any reason it will not, please advise me so that I can make direct contact with the Division of Health.

RHR: jj cc: Dennis Dalley, State Health T. S. & R. S & S Mining Co.